

Southwest Highlands

Including Ben Nevis, Glen Coe and the rest of Lochaber, Argyll including the Isles, Loch Lomond, Trossachs and Arran

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Friday 02 Jun 2023 until 23:59 on Saturday 03 Jun 2023

Forecast Issued on Friday 02 Jun 2023 at 02:49 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High confidence for settled conditions, slightly lower confidence in cloud extent.

Headline for Friday 02 Jun 2023: Dry with clouds breaking to give some sunshine.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 02 Jun 2023

Blizzards

No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow

No Likelihood

Storm force winds

No Likelihood

Gales

No Likelihood

Severe chill effect

No Likelihood

Poor visibility

No Likelihood

Thunderstorms

No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain

No Likelihood

Strong sunlight

High Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
					
Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny	Clear night
Precipitation probability					
00%	00%	00%	<05%	<05%	<05%

Forecast for Friday 02 Jun 2023

Weather: A rather cloudy start, but this thinning and breaking to give some sunshine at times, with the best of this likely across the Arrochar Alps and the Trossachs.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 20% becoming 80% by midday.

Low Cloud and visibility: Good visibility. Broken cloud, base 500-700m at first becoming patchy with bases lifting 700-900m by midday.

Forecast for Friday 02 Jun 2023

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)				Wind Direction (blowing from)		
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	4/5 W	5/7 W	5/8 W	7/11 W	9/13 W	6/9 NW	6/8 N
900	4/5 W	5/7 NW	5/9 NW	7/11 W	9/13 W	4/7 W	3/5 NE
600	4/5 N	6/8 W	4/7 W	7/11 W	9/14 W	5/8 W	4/6 NW
300	2/3 W	5/8 W	5/8 W	6/10 W	6/11 NW	2/5 NW	3/5 NE
Glen	2/4 E	5/8 SW	5/9 W	7/12 W	9/15 W	6/11 W	3/5 NW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
1300	6/4	6/4	7/6	9/7	8/6	6/5	6/4
900	8/8	10/9	12/11	13/12	12/10	9/8	6/5
600	9/8	10/9	13/12	15/13	14/12	11/10	10/9
300	11/10	12/11	15/15	17/16	16/15	13/13	11/11
Glen	12/12	15/14	18/17	19/18	18/16	14/13	12/12
Freezing Level*	2200m	2200m	2200m	2200m	2300m	2200m	2200m

*Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View

Nothing to add.

Forecast for Saturday 03 Jun 2023

Weather: Perhaps a little patchy low cloud down the northwest coast during the morning but otherwise a fine day with prolonged spells of sunshine. Further low cloud pushing in from the east may reach the far east of the region by late evening.

Maximum wind: Mostly light and variable, easterly 10 mph later.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 90%, but 60% in the northwest at first. 70% in east late evening.

Low Cloud and visibility: Good or very good visibility outside of cloud. Scattered low cloud, base 600-800m, in northwest at first, mostly clearing by mid-morning. Further low cloud in far east late evening.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 8 rising to plus 20 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 6 rising to plus 14 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above summits.